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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Takemori TAKAYAMA, et al.**

Group Art Unit: 1742

Serial No.: 09/884,998

Examiner: **Sikyin Ip**

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For. **BUSHING FOR CRAWLER BELT AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: February 24, 2006

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated August 24, 2005 for the third month, from January 24, 2006 to February 24, 2006.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$570.00 (calculated as \$1,020.00 minus \$450.00 for the second month already paid on January 12, 2006) to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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